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FARMERS AND OLD TIMERS PICNIC

500 IN ATTENDANCE. MANY FROM OUT OF COUNTY

The annual Old Timers and Farmers picnic was held at Beaver Creek town hall Sunday, Sept. 4th.

The first thing on the program was a baseball game which started at ten o'clock. At the conclusion of this game a pot luck dinner was had. Later two more ball games were played. The first which was between the Jackpines and the Hardwoods. The Jackpines won, the prize being a baseball. The second game was played by the South Side and the Jackpines, the score being 7 and 11 in favor of the South Side. The prize for this game was a baseball and bat.

After the ball games foot races were held in front of the hall. The first in order was the Men's race. The first prize for this event went to John Canfield Jr., prize \$1.00. Second prize of 75c went to Frank Serven. The second race was for young men, in which the first prize went to Clayton Vignaw in the amount of 75c, and the second prize of 50c went to Arthur Corwin. The third race was for boys, in which the first prize of 50c went to Theodore Leslie, Jr., and the second prize of 25c went to Leon Johnson. The fourth race was for the girls, the first prize going to Elma Canfield and the second prize of 25c went to Elouise Christensen. Next in order was the women's race in which the first prize of 75c went to Ellen Seiderman, and the second prize of 50c went to Mrs. Alice King.

After the races all adjourned to the hall for the business meeting. The first order of business was the election of officers. George E. Annis was re-elected president. Axel M. Peterson was elected secretary to succeed John LeMotte, who did not want the position any longer, and C. R. King was re-elected treasurer. The President appointed Frank Serven, Charles Annis, Homer Annis and William Christensen to assist the committee. After a few remarks made by David Vignaw complimenting the committee for their work and the people in general in helping to make this event more pleasant each year, dancing was enjoyed. A few games of quoits were played by the men who did not care to dance. The dancing lasted until two a. m.

After the meeting the kiddies enjoyed a peanut race. We are unable at this time to name the winner, but they all enjoyed themselves and wished there were two bags of peanuts instead of one to fight over.

There were about five hundred people present at this picnic and the following were from out of the county: Mr. and Mrs. David E. Vignaw, St. Clair Shores, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bressler, Gaylord; Mrs. William Chesney, Leslie; Mrs. William Hatch, Leslie; Mrs. Ruby Henry Christensen, Flint; Mrs. Ruby P. Moore, St. Clair Shores, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Hans Christensen, Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hanna, Traverse City; Fred Belmont, St. Clair Shores, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanna, Traverse City; Mrs. George Mettert, Coleman, Michigan; Audrey Stockford, Saginaw; Ted Rabishay, Saginaw; Melvin Enyart, South Bend, Indiana; Mrs. W. C. Roe, Detroit; Calvin E. Sewell, Durand, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. William Schreiber, Dearborn, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Schreiber, Grand Rapids; Roland Sewell, Flint; Mrs. Frank Delong, Midland; Mrs. E. Maule, Saginaw; Mrs. Ed Phillips, Mt. Morris, Michigan; Miss Belva

Kniss, Saginaw; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kniss, Flint, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bodine, Flint.

In closing the committee hopes to see all of these present at the next picnic. Come along and bring your friends with you and enjoy a good time getting acquainted with others.

LOST MAPLE FOREST CHILD FOUND

Arthur William Bigham, two year and three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bigham, of Maple Forest township, was lost Monday when he wandered away from home.

The little fellow attempted to follow his young dog and soon got so far from home that he didn't know the way back. He evidently kept on walking and when found many hours later was nearly eight miles from home. He left at about 1:00 p. m. and it was 7:45 p. m. before he was discovered. Sheriff Bobenmoyer had been notified and he at once notified the State police. The latter arrived, Mr. Bobenmoyer says, in remarkably quick time, having driven his motorcycle about 80 miles an hour.

Every highway leading from the home was diligently searched. Wm. Woodburn was driving his cattle home that evening and noticed child's tracks in the soft sand of a little-used trail and hurried in to notify the searchers. Sheriff Bobenmoyer didn't wait to get his car but started afoot and soon located the tracks. He says that he followed the tracks on a run for about three miles, before he caught up with the child.

The little one still had the rope with which he intended to lead his dog. He was little the worse for the experience except he was very tired and hungry, and Sheriff Bobenmoyer is still groaning from some muscles from his long run. Besides the police he was assisted in the search by Arthur Howes and Wm. Woodburn.

Naturally the community, as well as the parents, was quite worried until the little fellow was safely restored to his home. Darkness was already rapidly closing in and it was fortunate that he was located before it became very dark.

ENTERTAINS WITH BENEFIT

For the benefit of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Golf Club, Mrs. G. A. Kraus opened her beautiful new summer home. Saturday afternoon with a luncheon bridge of very pleasing appointments.

The luncheon was served on small tables placed through the various rooms which had been made most attractive with garden flowers. Also a miniature golf course was one of the clever features of decorations.

Young ladies in caddy outfits assisted Mrs. Kraus in receiving the guests, as well as serving.

Some forty-five ladies attended the luncheon, following: There was a prize for each table and the prize winners were: Mrs. C. E. Keyport, Mrs. Esbern Hanson, Mrs. Emil Giegling, Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Mrs. Oscar Schumann and Mrs. Cohen of Chicago. Mrs. Frank Barnett received the picnic table cloth.

The affair netted the Auxiliary some seventeen dollars for which they feel deeply indebted to Mrs. Kraus.

READS EVERY WORD

Saugatuck, Mich. Sept. 5, 1932.

Dear Mr. Schumann: Have been receiving your paper regularly each week and have read every line. Don't believe I ever enjoyed a newspaper as I have that one. There is something about Grayling and the country that gets under one's skin and the local news is certainly appreciated.

Best Regards,

Don Young.

SCHOOL OPENS WITH LARGE ENROLLMENT

Grayling Schools opened Tuesday morning with a larger enrollment than ever. This was especially true of the assembly when it was found necessary to provide a number of extra seats and it was found there were 241 pupils in High School alone. And more seats in the class rooms had to be arranged. The senior class this year numbers 38, which will mean one of the largest graduating classes of Grayling High.

There are also several young people taking post graduate work, most of whom are in the Commercial department. And there are also some new students.

As to the new teachers they are fitting in nicely. Miss Margot Monroe has returned again and will take some of the classes in High School. Miss Rosalyn Lewis did not report for duty on the opening morning owing to illness, however she will be here within a few days.

Everyone seems to be in fine spirits and school is in full swing again and from now on the people of the community will watch with much interest the progress of the various school activities.

ROY MILNES WINS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Roy Milnes was successful in retaining the coveted trophy of Grayling Golf club, winning the annual tournament on Monday in a close decision with Esbern J. Olson. It was a spirited contest throughout and watched with a lot of enthusiasm by local golf enthusiasts. It had been conceded that the finals would be played by Milnes and Olson, but they also had some tough competition in Menno Corwin, T. P. Peterson and O. W. Hanson as will be shown by the following report:

Following the qualifying rounds the first elimination series were played as follows:

R. Milnes 3; W. Raa 4.
Pr. Culligan 6; J. E. Schoonover 7.
H. Hanson 3; Frank Tetu 4.
M. Corwin 6; Dr. Green 6.
E. J. Olson 1 up; Geo. N. Olson.
C. J. McNamara forfeited to O. W. Hanson.

Carl Johnson 5; C. W. Olson 4.
T. P. Peterson 4; O. P. Schumann 5.
In the second elimination series the scores were:

R. Milnes 5; Fr. Culligan 7.
Menno Corwin 6; H. Hanson 7.
E. J. Olson 3; O. W. Hanson 6.
T. P. Peterson 1 up; Carl Johnson.
Third elimination series:

R. Milnes 2 up; M. Corwin.
E. J. Olson 4; T. P. Peterson 5.
And in the finals Milnes came out victor over Olson 3-2-36 holes.

MCCLAINE BUILDING BEING RAZED

LAND-MARK TO MAKE WAY FOR NEW GAS STATION

One of Grayling's landmarks is being razed to be replaced with a Hi-Speed gas station. The McClaine Hotel on the corner of Ottawa and Cedar streets, will soon be a thing of the past. The building is being salvaged by Mr. Len Isenbauer and a crew of workmen.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClaine bought the site in 1874 from Chris Bangs and erected the present building for a bakery and restaurant, in which business they continued until their death.

Some thirty-five years ago Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose McClaine took over the building and established a hotel. They continued in this business until the death of Mrs. McClaine some four years ago.

It is expected that the Hi-Speed station will be ready for business in about six weeks. It will be under the management of Leo Schram.

L. N. L. EXPECTS BIG ATTENDANCE

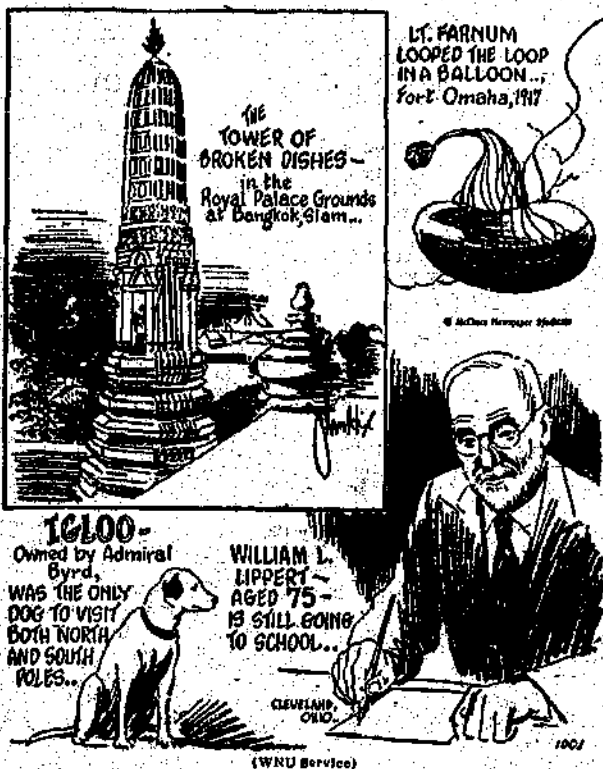
CONVENTION HERE SEPT. 14-15-16

Grayling is to be honored by having the Ladies National League and the National League of Veterans and Sons hold their 31st annual state convention here. The dates are Sept. 14-15-16 and the local league of which Mrs. Neal Mathews is president is making extensive plans so as to make it a successful affair.

There will be a large number of national and state officers present and headquarters will be at the L.O.O.F. Temple and the three days will be full of interest.

On the evening of Sept. 15 the general public is cordially invited to attend a large colonial ball and all are expected to come in colonial dress. There will be good music and a fine time for all.

ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode



CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS HERE

CARL HOLBROOK GIVEN BIG OVATION BY LEGIONNAIRES

Carl Holbrook, Republican candidate for congress for the 10th district, was given a reception by the local American Legion post upon the occasion of his visit here Tuesday evening. Nearly fifty ex-service men were present, and upon Mr. Holbrook's arrival he was given a tremendous ovation.

The Legionnaires feel that in Mr. Holbrook they may rely that he will more fairly work in the interest of their causes than is now being done by the present congressman.

Mr. Holbrook talked for nearly an hour to his buddies, but touched only lightly upon the political situation. His was more of a heart-to-heart visit with old comrades. He also told of some of his experiences as prosecuting attorney of Clare county for the past eight years.

In speaking of the bonus, he said that he wouldn't be in favor of it for one minute if he believed that the payment of it might injure in any way the finances of our country.

Referring to the 18th amendment, he said that his experience as prosecuting attorney has shown him the fallacy of the existing prohibition laws. "That statute," he said, "has been the cause of more crime than

any other thing." He attributed the low earnings of Michigan's oil fields to the fact of the low tariff on oil which permits foreign oil to be shipped into the United States at a cost lower than it can be produced for in this country.

Mr. Woodruff, the present 10th district congressman, he said, voted for this low tariff, much to the detriment of oil producing centers which business has become a large industry in the 10th district of Michigan.

After the speech making the merits and guests gathered around the festive boards in the banquet room and enjoyed an informal luncheon. There was music, story and song and interesting conversation that lasted until a late hour. Mr. Holbrook returned to Clare after the meeting.

When asked how the campaign was going and as to his prospect of being elected, Mr. Holbrook said that about two weeks ago he felt confident that he would get a majority of the votes in every county in the district with the exception of Bay and Crawford counties, but now he is assured that he will carry those counties as well. He says that he will carry Bay County, the home of his opponent, by not fewer than 3000 majority.

Mr. Holbrook is a splendid speaker and has the appearance of being a clean cut young man. The fact that he is endorsed by practically every voter in his own home town, and his long years of service as prosecuting attorney of Clare county seems to us to be one of the finest compliments that may be paid to any man.

APPRECIATION

We wish to thank all who aided us in the search for our small son who strayed away from home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bigham.

FREDERIC SCHOOL TO OPEN MONDAY, SEPT. 12

FredERIC schools will open Monday, September 12th. Summer vacation has quickly passed and the time is rapidly approaching when the teachers and students of the FredERIC schools will again take their places for work and recreation.

The facts gleaned from text books are, if correctly presented, of great importance but the young people themselves are exceedingly more worthwhile. Our text books are of no value and as a matter of fact they are a detriment unless they contribute to the better civilization of our young people to be passed on by them to coming generations.

Those who take their places next Monday morning in the assembly for study and in the classroom for recita-

tion, many years must elapse before we can, with out mediation of ideas, render this nation a safe democracy. There is no retrogression in civilization. There may seem to be a backward trend but it is impossible. Remember the thought expressed by the poet: "Still with souls that cringe and know it not." Our purpose is to hasten the time when a generation will appear, willing and glad to follow the precept of absolute truth.

We earnestly urge parents to have their boys and girls in school whenever it is possible and to use their influence to have them there on time. This is necessary to succeed.

Those back of our school system



FREDERIC SCHOOL

this year are as follow:
Harriet Dodge, President; C. S. Barber, Secretary; James Tobin, Treasurer; Trustees, Oscar Charron, and Erv Roe; John W. Payne, Superintendent; Darrell Cross, Principal; Life from Ferris Institute; Bonnie to underestimate the value of our O'Dell, Life, Central State Teachers College; Pauline Edmonds, Primary, Life, Central State Teachers College.

BRUCKER TAX CUTS BREAK ALL RECORDS

FIRST SINCE 1899 TO LOWER STATE TAX HIS FIRST YEAR IN OFFICE

Slashed Local Levies.

Lansing, Sept. 3.—A check-up of the official records by the Auditor General's Department today revealed that Governor Wilber M. Brucker is the first Governor in more than 60 years who has reduced the State property tax in the first year of his first term of office. The last Governor to accomplish this feat was Governor Henry P. Baldwin who assumed office in 1869, shortly after the close of the Civil War.

With the enactment of the amended Budget Act during the recent special session of the Legislature, it also has become certain that the State tax for the year 1932 will not exceed \$23,500,000, representing a reduction of \$6,000,000 in the annual State tax since Governor Brucker came into office. This also represents a record breaking achievement, as no previous Governor has ever been able to bring about so great a reduction, no matter how long he remained in office.

The unusual character of these accomplishments, unequalled in the history of the State, gives added significance to Governor Brucker's promise that he will continue to make further economies upon his re-election. While many candidates have promised tax reduction in the past, Governor Brucker has produced the most substantial results of any, and besides has found it possible to arrange for the return of about \$12,000,000 annually to the local government units to reduce local road taxes.

Last year more than 60 per cent of all the funds paid out by the State Government went to reduce local taxation. Forty-two million dollars were returned directly to the localities and the rest was spent in the care of patients and inmates in State institutions and in the maintenance of highways, all of which would have devolved upon the local tax bills if the State had not given these services. Next year in the neighborhood of 60 per cent of all State expenditures will be for the relief of local burdens.

Grand Rapids, Flint Saw Waste Under Welsh, McKelighan

Comparison of the actual accomplishments of Governor Wilber M. Brucker's opponents for the Republican Governorship nomination with their promises to the voters reveals very little reason for accepting these statements at face value.

Mayor William H. McKelighan of Flint, who has promised to abolish the state property tax entirely, has not been able to operate the city government of his home city within its income. On the contrary, Flint's city employees have been thrown upon the mercy of the public spirited citizens while the Mayor travelled about the state in the furtherance of his campaign.

Payless Pay Days have been experienced by Flint's city employees this year. On May 31, 1932, Flint had a cash balance in the banks of only \$7,741.45 according to Olney L. Craft, Director of Finance, and a general fund overdraft of \$399,948. City employees had not been paid since May 1.

Aroused by the need of emergency action, the Flint Clearing House Association agreed to loan the city \$100,000 immediately and to grant further loans provided the city government would consent to a reduction of its budget for the coming year. This program was upset, however, when a minority group of City Commissioners, led by Mayor McKelighan, prevented the adoption of a reduced budget by withholding the two-thirds majority vote required under the charter.

The plight of the city employees became so serious, however, that the association on July 15 announced an emergency loan of \$100,000 with the restriction that the entire sum be paid on the over-due payrolls. A statement issued by the association at that time said: "The fiscal condition of the city does not justify such an advance."

The association had insisted that many branches of the city government were in need of drastic pruning. While some reductions were made as a result of the financial shortage, the savings were far from sufficient to balance the budget.

Within recent days pressure of an aroused public opinion has resulted in the unseating of the McKelighan appointees and a new city manager is endeavoring to save the city from utter bankruptcy.

Quite similar conditions exist in Grand Rapids where Mr. George W. Welsh resigned the city managership on the eve of an exposure of wholesale waste in the city's welfare department by a representative committee of 100 members appointed by the City Commission some weeks earlier. But one member of this large citizens' group signed a minority report exonerating Mr. Welsh of responsibility. The commission has since appointed a new city manager and has approved the removal of a large number of Welsh appointees who

CHEVROLET DEALERS MEET IN GRAYLING

All of the leading Chevrolet dealers and salesmen of the Flint Zone which comprises an area including all of the State of Michigan north of Pontiac, held a two-day meeting at the Hanson State Military reservation on Lake Margrethe this week. The meeting opened Tuesday morning and closes this afternoon.

A large tent at the reservation served as headquarters and the affair took on the form of an outing for the 300 or more dealers, who were guests for the time of Major General Wilson, Colonel Pearson and Colonel Calladay. Meals were served at the Camp with Peter Lovely, camp cook, as chef.

The fall sales campaign of Chevrolet was the purpose of the gathering and there were dealers and salesmen present from Port Huron, Flint, Lansing, Saginaw, Bay City, Grand Rapids, Muskegon and others representing all cities on the west coast of the state, the Upper Peninsula, and from Mackinaw City south to Flint. It was a very fine representation of men, and the camp was in charge of Sales Manager J. D. McLeod of the Flint Zone, and J. M. Jerpe, sales promoter manager of Flint was in charge of the program.

Will Power of the General Motors corporation, well known as a recreational director had charge of the athletic games and sports that were carried on each day and in addition he provided entertainment each evening by selecting amateur acts from the crowd. Headlining the evening programs was Orlando Bracci, age 13 of Windsor, Can., well known vaudeville favorite. The young giant travels with the Chevrolet people on each of their trips and he always makes a hit at every town he visits.

Grayling band was on the job both evenings to render music and add to the evening's program and Miss Marie and Howard Schmidt sang many pleasing duets during the programs that were well received.

Mr. Jerpe in commenting says: "The reception given Chevrolet men and the hospitality extended by the people of Grayling has been very pleasant indeed, and the addition of Grayling band to the camp program put that extra touch to make the two-day program overwhelmingly a success."

We are sure Grayling people are very much pleased to have had this fine meeting held at Lake Margrethe and trust that the Chevrolet dealers will make it a point to make us another visit in the near future.

Alfred Hanson is the local dealer for Chevrolet cars in Grayling and was among those present at the camp.

Against Third Term. When Grant was proposed for a third Presidential term, in 1874, the house of representatives, by a vote of 234 to 138, adopted a resolution declaring that it would be "unwise, impolitic and fraught with peril to our free institutions" for the third term precedent to be ignored.

were directly connected with the extravagant use of public funds.

By way of comparison, the deficit of Flint under McKelighan was almost doubled in the same year that Governor Brucker reduced the cash deficit of the state's general fund by \$1,215,000.00. Grand Rapids city taxes increased during Mr. Welsh's term as manager, while state taxes under Governor Brucker have been cut six million dollars, the greatest cut in the history of the state.

Rialto Theatre (GRAYLING)

PROGRAM
Sunday and Monday, Sept. 11-12
Constance Bennett
In
"TWO AGAINST THE WORLD"
Organologue
Cartoon
News
Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 13-14
Joan Blondell
In
"BIG CITY BLUES"
Comedy Novelty News
Thursday and Friday, Sept. 15-16—Maurice Chevalier
In
"LOVE ME TONIGHT"
Comedy Novelty
Saturday, Sept. 17th (Only)
Jackie Cooper
In
"DIVORCE IN THE FAMILY"
Screen Souvenir Comedy



JOHNS-MANVILLE Asbestos Shingles are the kind to use for that new roof this Fall. And right now is the time to put it on before the cold weather sets in.

Other repairing about the premises is also in order now, and we can furnish the materials.

EVERYTHING IN BUILDING MATERIAL.

GRAYLING BOX CO.
PHONE 62

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES
OF THE AVA LANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, September 9, 1909

Mr. and Mrs. L. Fournier are spending the week in Detroit, on business and the state fair.

Mrs. C. Kripke and her mother, Mrs. Johanna Hanson are visiting Mrs. Klatt in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schreiber from east of town are State Fair visitors this week.

Died—At the home of his step-father, Perry Hinch in Beaver Creek, Sunday, Sept. 5th, Frank Mawhorter, aged 16 years. He was buried at Roscommon Tuesday.

Forbush, Supt. of the Ward fruit farm, has shipped a few ears of the earlier apples and estimates that it will take over a thousand ears to remove the crop which is now all sold.

The editorial home is made glad by a visit this week from one of their boys, Eugene Kendrick and his wife known here as Rose Benson, and their boy. Their home is in northwest Nebraska.

Rev. P. Kjolhed and wife are expected home today from their visit in Denmark since June. He will resume regular service in the Danish church next Sunday.

Frederic Mayland, of the Danish college at Des Moines, Iowa, left Friday to attend the convention of the Danish Young Peoples Society at Chicago. Swend Berni is with him as delegate from here.

Died—At the residence in this village, Thursday, September 2, Sarah R. Niles, widow of Dr. Wm. H. Niles, aged 78 years.

Daniel E. Soper, of Detroit, accompanied by several archeologists has been in this section for the past two months exploring for prehistoric specimens in the Ausable. Reuben S. Babbitt, game warden, and Thomas Wakelley, ex-sheriff, who met them frequently, assert they unearthed some wonderful specimens in stone and copper.

Died—At her home in Beaver

Creek, Friday, Sept. 3rd, Hulda Hanna, aged 65 years.

C. J. Hathaway is in Detroit this week attending the annual state convention of the Michigan Society of Optometrists and the Michigan Retail Jewelers association.

H. A. Bauman came home last week for his annual visit. He reports less damage by frost in the Menominee country than here.

Marco Taylor and wife of Toledo, are here visiting his brother, A. Taylor and family, and the rest of the village, all of whom gave them hearty welcome.

Mrs. McCullough and Mrs. Roblin will entertain Ladies Union Friday, at the home of Mrs. Chas. McCullough. Members are requested to be present.

H. P. Schmidt, who has been here for the past month, has returned to his home in Los Angeles, Cal., taking his mother, Mrs. Flagg with him. He will not be so lonely there but will both be missed by many friends here.

Married—At the residence of E. G. Shaw on Monday at 8:30 p. m., Miss Alice M. Jennings and Walter S. Shaw, with Rev. J. H. Fleming officiating. The young couple are well known in this community, and are highly respected. They start out in married life bearing with them congratulations and best wishes of a host of intimate friends in Grayling.

Miss Anna Olson of Grayling, Mich. is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Olson of 569 Kalamath street. Miss Olson has recently returned from a two months visit in Seattle and Ballard, Wash., stopping on her return at Portland and Salt Lake City, having been delayed at the latter place two days and a night, on account of the wash-out—Denver Hustler.

Miss Ruth Barlow represents the Avalanche this week with the Eastern Michigan Press Club, on their annual excursion from Detroit for this year.

ECLIPSE PERMITS STUDY OF ELEMENTS' BEHAVIOR

The total eclipse of the sun on August 31 gave the earth's scientists a minute and a half in which to study the sun's rays that at other times are hidden by the glare caused by the atmosphere. As the last speck of sunlight disappears behind the moon, making a total eclipse, apalescent lights, interspersed with blood-red spots next to the black moon, flash out round about the hidden sun.

This brilliant display, known as the corona, is the most spectacular part of the total eclipse. It is also the most important for scientists interested in the elements and their behavior, says Dr. W. J. Humphreys of the Weather Bureau, United States Department of Agriculture, who has made observations on eclipses from the wilds of Sumatra to the cotton fields of Georgia.

The iron, calcium, phosphorus, and other elements of the earth's crust occur also in the sun, and the wings of light that form the corona are given off by these elements. Information on the elements and how they act under certain special conditions that can not be duplicated in any man-made laboratory helps toward a full understanding of them and their properties.

Each eclipse, Doctor Humphreys points out, has advanced, step by step, our knowledge of the sun and its constituent elements. The last total eclipse visible in the United States, a very brief one, was in 1930. The next total eclipse visible in this country is scheduled for 1945.

The lives of great men cannot be writ with any tolerable degree of elegance or exactness within a short time after their decease.—Addison.

Charcot Ranked Among "Pioneers of Medicine"

The pioneer surrounding Charcot in his lifetime obscured the true value of his work and of the man himself. It is one of life's little ironies that it was his family world which, at the time, brought him world-wide fame and patients from every class of society, whereas his enduring, pioneer work was of such a highly technical character that none but specialists in his own field could appreciate its value. So writes Dr. Claude Lillington in one of his word portraits of "Pioneers of Medicine" in Hygeia Magazine.

In his identification of a large group of nervous ailments with definite changes in the brain and spinal cord, Charcot attained scholarly achievement which assured him a permanent place in the ranks of great pioneers of medicine.

In the Salpêtrière, a French hospital, Charcot was tossed more or less by chance to care for the insane, the epileptic and the subjects of hysteria. Such an ill-assorted crowd! Charcot had to forge new weapons, evolve new principles and new tests in an effort to do justice to his patients.

Democratic in principles, Charcot, on one occasion when a princess demanded preferential treatment, exclaimed: "This stranger does not seem to know that we have taken the bastille."

Blind Find Protection in Sensation of Fear

Fear is the agency that prevents blind people from running into objects in their path, according to a bulletin of the Better Vision Institute. The researches of Dr. Vladimir Dolansky, a blind Polish scientist, published in the quarterly printed for the blind in braille, prove that a sensation akin to fear affects the thousands of hair follicles which cover the face and body, says the bulletin, and causes the feeling of tingling that a blind person has when he approaches an object unexpectedly. This reflex only occurs when the blind person is not consciously aware that he is in danger. The contracting of the hair follicles is something like the bristling of a cat, attacked by a dog, or of a horse which has smelled a wolf.

"These who still have the use of their eyes are without this sixth sense," continues the bulletin. "Four out of ten of them do not even have the common sense to know that their eyes themselves need assistance."

Temptation for Peppy

Black Monday was surely as nothing to the Tuesday that follows an Easter bank holiday, writes a columnist in the Manchester (Eng.) Guardian. Mr. Peppy felt the strain of it even under the easier conditions of the Seventeenth century. "To the office," he recorded on the Tuesday of Easter week, 1693, "but, Lord, what a conflict I had with myself, my heart tempting me a thousand times to go abroad about some pleasure or other."

For the encouragement of many he was able to add: "However, I did not budge, and, to my great content, did a great deal of business."

Make Apples Black

By turning the ultra violet rays of a mercury lamp on green apples, using a filter of some special glass, the Boyd-Thompson Institute of plant research has been able to speed up the action of the sun and turn the green fruit into a beautiful red color in 40 to 60 hours without burning or over-ripening. In other words, the fruit is colored quickly by improving on the sun's methods. If the peel is too old or crushed no color results as Dr. John M. Arthur, in charge of this investigation, found that only living cells of the apple peel will respond to this treatment.

Plymouth Brethren

The sect known as Plymouth Brethren was founded by an Irish clergyman, Dr. John Darby, in 1827. The headquarters were made at Plymouth, England, whence the name. Missionary efforts were highly successful in Switzerland, Germany, Italy, France and the United States. The doctrine, besides being evangelical, believes in predestination and millenniumism, and the body does not believe in a ministry set apart, believing all men are equal in matters of faith and doctrine.

National Anthem

"The Star Spangled Banner" was made the national anthem of the United States by act of congress, signed by the President, March 3, 1891. Prior to this its only official recognition occurred nearly a hundred years after it was written, when it was formally ordered to be played in the army and navy on occasions of ceremony. Its standing was undisputed in other lands, and whenever America was honored in music this air was played.

Fish "at Home" on Land

Fishes known as mud-skippers that are found along the coasts of the Indian and Pacific oceans are nearly as much at home on land as in the water. When they are stranded on the sands by receding tides they get over the ground in remarkable fashion. By means of their highly developed pectoral fins they jump about and climb up on rocks and other elevated objects in search of insects. These they catch on the wing by jumping at them as they pass by.

To Detect Watered Milk

The regular Babcock test for determining the amount of fat in milk, checked by the test for specific gravity, will successfully indicate whether milk has been watered or not. Watered milk will obviously have a considerably lower content of fat and its specific gravity will likewise be altered.

Old damask tablecloths can be dyed to make rich draperies.

WHY Air in Libraries Should Be "Washed"

Air can wear out book bindings, government scientists have discovered, and this may force libraries in the future to have their air "washed."

An experiment that lasted eight years, just completed by the Department of Agriculture, shows definitely that the acids from the air, as long as suspected, are the cause of the trouble.

A set of dummy books, bound with various kinds of vegetable-tanned leather, were placed on a shelf outside a window of an office in Washington. The window was directly in the path of the prevailing winds and within half a mile of several government power plants and the main line of a steam railroad.

The books stayed there for more than eight years. Meanwhile samples of the same leathers were kept in a protected place. At the end of the eight years the physical condition and chemical composition of the exposed and protected leathers were compared.

The exposed leathers were powdery and easily scuffed, torn and cracked, while the protected leathers were sound, smooth and strong as in the beginning.

Why Electricity Is Not Yet Fully Understood

Electricity is known to be a form of energy, just as we have chemical light heat and other forms. According to one authority: "Innumerable attempts have been made to ascertain the true nature of electricity, but it cannot be said that as yet there is any true knowledge of what this subtle agent really is."

According to the electronic theory of hypothesis, the atom of matter is made up of smaller bodies called electrons, electrical in their nature, and consequently all matter intimately is electrical, the atoms of the different elements of matter consisting of a certain number of electrons, thus 700 in the hydrogen atom and 11,200 in the oxygen atom.

While this, of course is only a theory, it serves to explain a great deal of the properties and manifestations of electricity, just as other theories of science help us to understand the nature of light, heat, etc.

Why Shrike "Impaled"

The shrike, belying its name, is in reality a song bird, but a bird which has the unusual nickname of the butcher bird. There are some 200 species of shrike, but only two of the family are to be found in the United States, these two being about ten inches in length.

Its unlovely name comes from a physical weakness which its ingenuity has overcome. It is not only an insect eater, but also preys upon mice and small birds. Its feet are its weakness, and it is unable to hold its prey in its talons. Handicapped, the shrike seizes its food in its beak and then impales the hapless victim on a thorn, which serves as its talons.

Why Moisture Hurts Paint

One of the worst conditions for painting is the presence of moisture. It is important, in painting the new house, to see that all surfaces are thoroughly dry before attempting to paint them. If paint is applied over a surface containing any appreciable amount of moisture, especially if the moisture is internal, that is, contained in the material painted, just as soon as the interior of the house becomes warmed the water vapor will attempt to escape through the paint film and eventually will cause either blistering or peeling of the film.

Why Blood Clots in Eggs

Blood clots in eggs are the result of overstrained egg organs causing the membranes of ovary and oviduct to become inflamed and the swollen blood vessels let go, so that escaping blood forms a clot which later is included in an egg. Clots in or attached to the yolk come from the ovary, while those that are found in the white come from some section of the oviduct.

Why "Red-Letter Day"

Formerly red-letter days were those so indicated in the calendar of days in the Book of Common Prayer, and some prayer books are still printed in this style. In general usage the term has come to mean especially fortunate or auspicious days in a person's life, or days to be remembered because of some important event or benefit.

Why Known as "Pop"

Certain soft drinks received the name "pop" because when the bottles were opened the cork was expelled with a pop or quick explosive noise. The original name was soda pop, which was soon shortened to pop.

Why Britain Is "Red"

The British empire is usually shown in red or pink because of the custom of coloring British territory, which began with British mapmakers, who merely desired to make the British empire prominent on their maps.

Why Shower of Rice

The custom of showering rice on newly married couples comes from India, rice being with the Hindus an emblem of fecundity.

Why Hair Turns Gray

Loss of pigment causes hair to turn gray. Extremely severe shocks have been known to cause a loss of pigment in the hair.

Attractive pictures, poems, stories, and pages of paper dolls out from current magazines and pasted on large sheets of wrapping paper of uniform size may be fastened together to make fascinating scrap books for the children on rainy and sick-a-bed days.

One Point of View

Friends are wealth to the poor, strength to the weak and medicine to the sick.

PENITENCE

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Late Dean of Men,
University of Illinois.

"Repent," the prophets in Holy Writ were wont to advise sinners, and that was the cry of the cry of John, the forerunner of the Great Teacher.

Penitence, I suppose, is sorrow for sin committed, human regret that one has violated moral law. It has always been interesting to me that a call to repentance has usually been strengthened by a statement of the penalty which would fall if the sinner failed to change his point of view. It was generally in order that they might "see the wrath to come" that offenders were urged to penitence.

Is it sorrow, then, for the offense against law or is it fear of the consequences which is most often the impelling motive to repentance? I should not want to say.

Warner, who had really been brought up very well and who had never been in any real need of money, was caught forging various checks. He was apprehended, arrested, and put in jail. His father came to see me to adjust such matters as could be adjusted.

"The boy is very penitent," he said. "His stay in jail has given him time to think what his conduct is leading him to, and he is sorry, I assure you, for what he has done."

"Is he sorry," I asked, "for what he has done, or is he humiliated by the fact that he has been detected in a rather crude violation of law, and for the legal and social consequences which he is facing?"

"I don't know," the father replied. "Maybe if he had never been caught he would never have been sorry."

Jensen, who was working by the hour, got into a strained financial situation. He needed money and so devised the system of marking up his hours when he handed in his time check. The thing was detected shortly, as such things are sure to be.

"I am thoroughly ashamed of what I have done," he said to his employer, "and more sorry than I can tell you. I have hardly slept or eaten since my crime has been discovered."

"Would you have lain awake at night, and would you have been sorry if you had not been found out?" he was asked, and he didn't know.

True penitence is sorrow for sin—not sorrow for having been discovered.

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GABBY GERTIE



"When a girl says 'No' to a man's proposal it's bad form to reply 'I get you'."

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the condition of a mortgage made by Michael W. Gibbons and Verna E. Gibbons, husband and wife, to Mrs. Ora Hall, dated September 24, 1929 and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Crawford County, Michigan, on October 1, 1929 in Liber H. of Mortgages on page 412, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this mortgage, for principal, interest and taxes the sum of \$1,692.06 and statutory attorney fees and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday, November 19, 1932 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for Crawford County is held, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage with seven percent interest and all legal costs together with said attorney fees, to-wit:

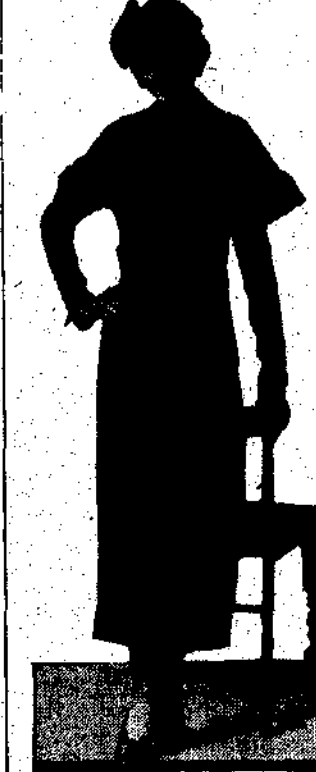
The east half of the southeast quarter of section thirty, town twenty-five north, range two west, South Branch Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated August 24, 1932.

Mrs. Ora Hall, Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for Mortgagee, Grayling, Michigan. 8-25-18

For Campaigning



A wrap around coat frock in copper brown rabbit's hair cloth, with capelet bordered in fur, is recommended for political campaigning.

STATE OF MICHIGAN ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION—DUCKS, GEESE, BRANT, COOTS, AND WOOD- COCK.

The Director of Conservation, in compliance with Federal regulations in regard to ducks, geese, brants, coots, and woodcock, recommends certain regulations.

Therefore, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that the regulations of ducks, geese, brants, coots, and woodcock as provided by Act 286, P. A. 1929, as amended, shall be abridged to permit the hunting of such migratory waterfowl during the season of 1932 only from twelve o'clock noon, October 1st to sunset November 30th, inclusive, and to prohibit the taking of ruddy duck, bufflehead, Ross's geese, cackling geese, and provide that not more than four geese and brant may be taken in one day and ten in the aggregate of the following shall be taken in one day nor more than twenty in the aggregate had in possession at one time, namely: canvas-back, redhead, greater and lesser scaup, ringneck, bluewing, greenwing, cinnamon teal, shoveller, and gadwall; and prohibit the hunting of woodcock in the Upper Peninsula.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this 26th day of July, 1932.

George R. Hagarth, Director, Department of Conservation.

Conservation Commission by: Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman. Ray E. Cotton, Secretary. 8-18-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION—RACCOON.

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to raccoon in the state, recommends certain regulations.

Therefore, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that for a period of one year it shall be unlawful to hunt, take, or kill, or attempt to hunt, take, or kill any raccoon in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan; and to hunt, take, or kill, or attempt to hunt, take, or kill any raccoon in the Lower Peninsula of Michigan excepting that it shall be lawful to hunt raccoon in the Lower Peninsula of Michigan from November 1st to November 15th, inclusive; and it shall be lawful to trap raccoon in the Lower Peninsula north of the north line of Township 16 North and West of Saginaw Bay from November 15th to November 30th, inclusive; and south of the north line of Township 16 North and East of Saginaw Bay from December 1st to December 15th, inclusive.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this 26th day of July, 1932.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the village of Grayling in said county, on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1932.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Zacek, deceased, Pauline Zacek, the widow of said deceased having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to said Pauline Zacek or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the 19th day of September, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate. C. M. Branson, Attorney for Petitioner, Grayling, Michigan. 8-25-18

POTPOURRI

The Largest Bird
The largest known bird is the condor, a native of South American mountainous regions. It much resembles the eagle. The average expanse of its wings is ten feet. They are black with traces of white along the wings. They live on dead and helpless animals, and are very gluttonous.
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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by William H. Mosher and Hattie B. Mosher, husband and wife, to Hans Schierlinger, dated October 2, 1919, and recorded in the register of deeds office of Crawford County, Michigan on October 7, 1919 in Liber I of mortgages on page 261. On which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest \$780.24 and statutory attorney fee.

And no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday, the 10th day of September, 1932, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will sell at the front door of the court house in the village of Grayling, that being the place where the circuit court for Crawford County is held, at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount aforesaid due on said principal with interest at 7% and all legal costs together with attorney fees, to-wit:

Lot 1 of block 8 of Hadley's Second Addition to the Village of Grayling, Michigan.

Dated June 16, 1932.

Hans Schierlinger, Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for Mortgagee, Grayling, Michigan. 6-16-13

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Any information and first Proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate

C. M. BRANSON

Attorney and Counselor At Law.

Office one block east and half block south of Court House, Grayling.

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News Briefs

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1932

Vote for William Ferguson for County Treasurer.

E. W. Creque Jr. and family of Flint visited here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stephan Jr. are happy over the arrival of a daughter on Sept. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Shuman, of Detroit visited Dr. and Mrs. G. G. Clippert over Labor Day.

John and Ray Clement of Detroit old residents of Grayling, enjoyed a few days fishing here the last of the week.

Mrs. John Love held a family reunion at her farm home Monday in Beaver Creek and all had an enjoyable time.

Miss Yvonne LaGrow returned home last week after spending the summer in Detroit with her sister, Mrs. Paul Dreher.

Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Amos of Detroit were guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport over the week end and Labor Day.

G. O. Gillett, general chairman of the Maintenance of Way Employees Union of the M.C.R.R. is in Grayling on business.

Special—Friday, Saturday and Monday at the Betty Mae Beauty Shoppe, shampoo and fingerwave 55c; Marcel 55c.

Misses Margrethe and Ella Hanson attended a house party last week down the river, of which Charles Miller was the host.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown of Bay City and Mr. Emerson Brown of An Arbor spent the week and visiting the gentlemen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Masters, and Mrs. Lloyd Masters, and little daughter, Sally Anne, of Detroit spent the week and visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Darveau.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Altman and Miss Altman of Findlay, Ohio, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Randolph last week. Mr. Altman is a nephew of Mr. Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes enjoyed having as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McIntosh of Detroit. They brought Jane Milnes their niece home who had been their little guest for several weeks.

Mrs. O. W. Roesser and sons William and Dr. W. O. Roesser and Miss Margaret, all of Pontiac, stopped in Grayling Tuesday enroute from a motor trip that took them to many interesting points in Canada.

W. Edward Myers, advertising manager of the Toledo Blade, returned home Monday after spending some time at his summer home on the AuSable. Mr. Myers will return again the last of the week to accompany Mrs. Myers home, who has been here since May.

Wednesday of last week the Sunday school of the Michelson Memorial church had a most enjoyable time at their picnic which was held at Otsego Lake State Park. It was a very beautiful day when they started out, and they returned feeling that the entire day had been a huge success. Some seventy-five people were present.



Juicy Steaks

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Vote for William Ferguson for County Treasurer.

Mrs. Lulu Mutton of Bay City is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Sidney Graham returned Sunday from a six weeks visit in Detroit.

Miss Marion Bluel of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. Earl Whipple and family over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl Kincaid, of Mayville, called at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Grabbill Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Olson and son Nels, left for Lansing Wednesday, expecting to return Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Schjots and children of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. Nickolin Schjots over Labor Day.

Will pay cash for an auto trailer if able to deliver by Friday, Sept. 9. Inquire of Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brody of Detroit arrived Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Darveau until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scott and Miss Lillian Swanson spent a few days last week at the Scott cabin on the AuSable.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport were hosts to a few friends at dinner Tuesday evening at the Stephens resort on the AuSable.

Special—Friday, Saturday and Monday at the Betty Mae Beauty Shoppe, shampoo and fingerwave 55c; Marcel 55c.

Jack Clark and Sam Smith were in Saginaw on business Sunday and returning were accompanied by Hans L. Peterson and Billy McLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strehl and children of East Jordan visited Mrs. Strehl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Brown Saturday night.

Miss Ruth VanColant and Russell Kipp of Peck were guests at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. John Brady over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson had as guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rugenstein and two children and William Morris of Detroit.

Old time dance at the Ritz every Wednesday and Saturday nights. Good music. Go where the gang goes and have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jerome returned to Grayling Friday after spending several days in Lansing, where they will make their home this winter.

Miss Grace Parker, student nurse at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Parker.

Miss Agnes Hanson, and Mr. Howard McKenzie of Detroit spent the week end visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schrieber of Dearborn visited over the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber Sr., and Mrs. John Love.

Roy Holmberg and his father Oscar Holmberg, who makes his home with him here in Grayling, drove to Big Rapids last Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schrieber and daughter Joyce of Grand Rapids were guests of the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber Sr., over the week end.

Miss Mary Schumann had as her guests over the week end and Labor Day, Miss Marjorie Henniger, Miss Marion Dresser, Robert Horvath, and George Moore, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Trevegno, of Cadillac visited their daughter, Mrs. Louise Connine and Mrs. Gretchen, at the Connine summer home, "White Birch," on Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nickless Jr., and family of Bay City who were at their summer home on the South Branch, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ferguson, and little son, Charles Edward, of Toledo, Ohio, arrived Saturday to make their home with Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Darling.

Mrs. Loyl Cameron and son Robert returned to their home in Grand Rapids Monday after spending several weeks visiting Mrs. Cameron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Trudo, of Midland who are resorting in the Ahman cottage at the Danish Landing, on Lake Margrethe, spent Tuesday in Saginaw. They were accompanied by Miss Lillian Ahman.

Albert Charron is taking the place of Bruce Greenbury as janitor at Mercy Hospital, while the latter is enjoying his vacation. Mr. Greenbury and family expect to go to Detroit Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Miss Norma Pray returned to Grayling to attend school here Saturday after spending a couple of weeks visiting in Detroit. She was accompanied here by her sister, Miss Evelyn Pray and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bell of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Herluf Sorenson enjoyed having as guests from Tuesday to Friday the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Samuelson and daughter Eva Marie of Muskegon. Also another sister, Mrs. Andrew Johnson of Cadillac visited at the Sorenson home.

John Brady, daughter Helen and son Jerome went to Detroit Saturday where they were joined by the former's brother Frank Brady and son Bernard and enjoyed a trip to Jackson where they visited the Henry Bedore family. The John Bradys also visited relatives in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Miller of Lansing spent the week and visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. August Engel at Wa-Wa-Sun, and the former's mother, Mrs. Earl Whipple. They were accompanied back to Lansing by the Misses Mathia and Virginia Engel, who will attend school there this year.

Guy Peterson and family of Bay City visited relatives here over Sunday.

Miss Helen Thorington has returned after spending the summer at her home in Gladwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hanson arrived last Saturday to spend several days visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Hansine Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Letkus and Mrs. Carl Mork, of Bay City, were week end and Labor Day guests of Emil Neldner and family.

During the National League convention next week local merchants are asked to kindly display their flags in front of their business places.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson and son Bruce spent Sunday in Pinconning, going to accompany their son Carl Henry home, who had spent the week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gulligan and daughter Patricia of Grand Rapids are guests for ten days of Fr. J. L. Culligan. They arrived Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson, and son Carl Jr., of Petoskey, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jens Schoonover at their summer home over Labor Day.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Olson and two children returned to Detroit Tuesday after having spent a few days visiting the former's mother, Mrs. N. P. Olson, and family.

Time for paying Village taxes has been extended to October 1st. This matter was taken up at the regular meeting of the Council Tuesday evening and the extension of time granted.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scott and daughter Virginia spent Sunday in Traverse City at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hudson. They were accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Alice Scott and daughter Alice of Bay City.

Mrs. Alice Scott and daughter Alice of Bay City are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scott. Miss Virginia Scott returned with them after spending her summer vacation at their home in Bay City.

The postponed Golf tournament between Grayling and Gaylord will be played on Sundays, Sept. 11 and 13. Grayling players will go to Gaylord next Sunday and the following Sunday, Gaylord will play here. There will be no charge for green fees.

Arthur Dyer of South Branch was brought to Mercy Hospital Sunday night with head injuries that he sustained in an auto accident in Roscommon county that afternoon. He was able to be dismissed Tuesday and returned home accompanied by his brother Supervisor Sidney Dyer.

Charles McNamara Jr. entertained twenty boys and girls at a very colorful lawn party at his home last Friday afternoon. The twenty youngsters enjoyed the afternoon by playing games, and prizes were won by Billy Kraus, Bob Welsh, Esbern Olson, Pat McKenna, and Phyllis Hewitt. The lovely lunch was served on five small tables placed on the lawn among the trees decorated with colored balloons.

Mrs. Leo Brancheau and daughter Miss Violet have returned to their home in Bay City. Mrs. Brancheau has been here for the past month receiving treatment for a stomach ailment at Mercy Hospital and Miss Brancheau, who is a student nurse at a hospital in Bay City was caring for her parents. Mr. Brancheau it will be remembered, is the brakeman who had the misfortune to lose his left leg in a railroad accident the forepart of August. He is still at the hospital and will be there for quite some time yet.

Alex Atkinson entered Mercy Hospital Monday suffering from injuries received in an auto accident that occurred on the Dixie Highway, 18 miles south of Saginaw last Thursday. He was returning from a business trip to Flint when his car crashed into the rear of an automobile owned and driven by Fred Keating, age 42, Bridgeport township farmer. Mr. Keating was fatally injured and Miss Ruth Sentz, age 16, also of Bridgeport, who was the other occupant of the Keating car received serious injuries. Alex's injuries are of the chest and he suffered a bad gash on one leg. An inquest has been held in the death of Mr. Keating and Alex is expected to appear for questioning so as to fix the responsibility for the accident.

The blooming of a Night-Blooming Cereus at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Graham Saturday night afforded a number of their friends an opportunity to see this rare flower in bloom. Mrs. Graham was in Saginaw so missed the rare sight. This uncommon plant blooms only once every seven years, according to statistics, and then for only one evening and usually for a duration of only one hour. The plant itself isn't much of an ornament and is unshapeful and of a waxy nature. The blossom grew awkwardly out of a branch that came out of one of the veins of a leaf. During the early evening the single bud that adorned the plant seemed almost ready to spread its petals and Mr. Graham felt quite certain that it would open that night. The hour for the blooming of these plants usually begins about 10:00 or 11:00 p. m. and it is rare that they continue for much longer than an hour. This one continued well along in the night. The blossom had a spread of about 8 inches and the petals were white and very delicate. The petals seemed too frail to withstand even the atmosphere of a warm summer night. Late in the night the flower re-folded its petals and gradually wilted into nothing.

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49c---\$1.00

Mrs. Oscar Hanson was hostess to the Ladies Aid of Michelson Memorial church at their regular monthly meeting and pot luck luncheon Friday afternoon.

There will be no services in the Danish church next Sunday on account of the District Convention to be held in Grant, Mich., for the Michigan District. Rev. Juhl and family and others of Grayling will be in attendance.

Congressman Roy O. Woodruff was in Grayling Tuesday forenoon, calling on friends and the business men. He says he has been busy campaigning but the district is so large that it takes a lot of time to get around to all the communities. His advertisement appears in this issue of the Avalanche.

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	Regular Price	Sale Price
Guaranteed New Inner Spring Mattresses	\$24.00	\$14.98
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1932 Inner Spring Mattresses		\$19.32
100 Per Cent All Cotton Mattresses, ranging from	\$5.25 to	\$21.00

Also our entire Furniture Stock at Reduced Prices—Buy Now and Save.

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Vote Right—HOLBROOK for CONGRESS

WE, Grayling friends of Carl Holbrook, Republican candidate for the office of Congressman of the 10th Congressional District, respectfully endorse him for that office.

WE know he is energetic, capable and honest and will stand square toed on every question that comes up for consideration and will at all times represent the people of the 10th district without quibbling or straddling.

HE will vote yes or no on every question.

HE will be our representative in fact as well as in name.

HE favors the repeal of the 18th amendment and the payment of the soldiers bonus.

HE believes in REAL economy in government, not

false economy.

HE has always resided in the 10th district of Michigan.

NOW serving eighth year as prosecuting attorney of Clare County.

HE is endorsed by EVERY man who is eligible to vote in his own home city except one—a most remarkable record.

THE 10th District needs a change in Congressman and Mr. Holbrook has proven that he is eminently fitted to be the successor of the present incumbent.

Vote for **HOLBROOK** for CONGRESS at the Primary Election next Tuesday, Sept. 13th.

COMPLIMENTS OF GRAYLING FRIENDS OF CARL HOLBROOK.

Vote for

George Sorenson

Republican Candidate for
Judge of Probate

Primary Election Sept. 13, 1932

Vote for.....

A. P. Feldhauser

Republican Candidate For Sheriff

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPT. 13

Born in Crawford County. Your vote appreciated.

Vote for

Johannes Rasmusson

Democratic Candidate for

Sheriff

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPT. 13

Resident Taxpayer 40 Years. Your Vote Appreciated.

Vote for.....

Oliver B. Scott

for Judge of Probate

On Republican Ticket

Primary Election, September 13

Your vote will be appreciated.



Peter F. Jorgenson

Democratic Candidate For

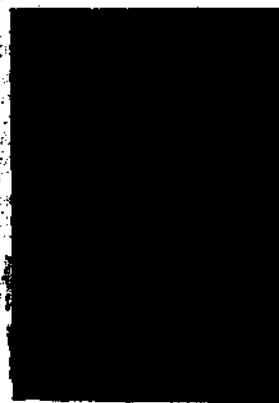
Sheriff

I wish to announce to the taxpayers and voters of Crawford County that I am a candidate for the office of Sheriff on the Democratic ticket, and if elected I

promise that the office will be operated on a most economical basis. I can faithfully promise this on my past record as sheriff and other public positions which I have served in.

I do not believe in the waste of the Taxpayer's money and your vote will be greatly appreciated in favor of economy.

Peter F. Jorgenson.



Vote for.....

James E. Richardson

Republican Candidate For

County Clerk

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPT. 13

College Training and Two Years Office Experience

SENATOR BEN CARPENTER asks your approval for a second term as Senator from the 28th district.

Vote For.....

Earl E. Wood

for SHERIFF

ON REPUBLICAN TICKET

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPT. 13

Experienced Police Officer.



Vote For.....

John A. LaMotte

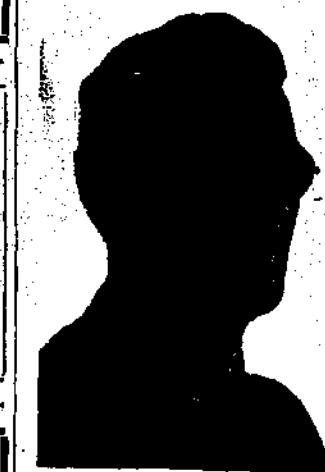
Republican Candidate For

County Clerk

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPT. 13

Born in Crawford County.

Your Vote will be Appreciated.



Vote for.....

Frank Bennett

Republican Candidate For Sheriff

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPT. 13

Resident of Crawford County 25 years.

I will Thank You for your support.

Vote for

"SID" or C. S. BARBER

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR

County Road Commissioner

Your vote will be appreciated at Primary Election September 13th, 1932.

Resident of Crawford County since 1881.

Built the first State Road in Crawford county in 1908.

Third made north of Bay City.

Operated first Stone Crusher and Screening plant in Crawford county in 1909; and in Otsego county in 1911.

Built road at Johannesburg in 1911.

Frederic Township highway commissioner 8 years.

Crawford County road commissioner 4 years.

Superintendent of maintenance and construction in Crawford county in 1921 and 1922.

Am still interested.

Vote for

WILLIAM FERGUSON

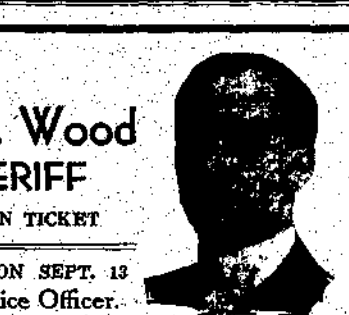
Republican Candidate for

County Treasurer

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPT. 13

Knowing that the State is being ruined by taxation, that the tourist business is being ruined and our residents deprived of their recreation by high game and fish licenses imposed by our last legislature, and believing that these conditions can and should be rectified, I am offering myself as your candidate for State Senator.

Your support will be appreciated.
Horatio S. Karher.



Roy D. Holmberg

Republican Candidate

for Sheriff

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPT. 13

Your Vote will be Appreciated.

VOTE FOR

Earl Hewitt

Republican Candidate for

County Treasurer

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